ROC-DynamicDisplays - Feature #10499

Verify the IP address of the sender in the channel change message

10/13/2015 01:09 PM - Elliott McCrory

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Priority:	Low	Due date:	
Assignee:	Elliott McCrory	% Done:	0%
Category:	Java Code	Estimated time:	0.00 hour
Target version:			

Description

On line 196 of DCProtocol, there is a "TODO" comment that suggests that we verify that the IP address in the change-channel message matches the IP address of the actual Internet sender.

The message asks for this check, but we do not do it. Moreover, it is not clear that (a) this adds any security and (b) that this is a useful thing.

History

#1 - 05/15/2018 01:43 PM - Elliott McCrory

- Status changed from New to Remission

This is theoretically possible, but, in practical terms, very hard to do. So, declaring it "in remission"

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